31.12.96 and has cumulative disbursement of $ 5.2 million upto 30.9.96. out of a total available credit of $ 12 million. The latter with a credit of $ 63 million has been approved by the world Bank only this year and is in the initial stages of the implementation.

(b) Coal Sector Rehabilitation Project is the only project under consideration with the World Bank. The proposed project is likely to have 24 mines in five different companies of Coal India in five States including five mines in Maharashtra.

Performance of Banks in Karnataka

4345. SHRI ANANT KUMAR : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) the number of branches of Public Sector Banks in Karnataka bank-wise as on date;

(b) the total deposits in these banks, as on April 1, 1995 and April 1, 1996, bank-wise;

(c) the total amount of loans sanctioned by these banks in the State during each of the last three years;

(d) the amount of loans sanctioned and actually given by these banks to the farmers during the above period; and

(e) the amount paid back by the farmers during the same period?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) The bank-wise number of branches of public sector banks in Karnataka as on the last Friday of June 1996 (latest available) as reported by Reserve Bank of India (RBI) are given in Statement-I enclosed.

(b) and (c). The bank-wise deposits and credit of public sector bank in Karnataka as on the last Friday of March 1994, 1995 and 1996 as reported by RBI are given in Statement-II enclosed.

(d) and (e). As reported by RBI, the disbursal of advances towards agriculture (Direct and Indirect) by all scheduled commercial banks in Karnataka for the year ended June 1992, June 1993 and June 1994 (latest available) are as given below :

(Rs. in crore)

Year Ended	Disbursement to Agriculture in Karnataka
June 1992	346.61
June 1993	401.21
June 1994	445.42

Position of recovery as available with RBI with regard to direct agricultural advances by All Scheduled Commercial Banks in Karnataka is as given below :

Year ended as on last Friday	Demand	Recovery	% of recovery to demand
June 1992	868.91	385.44	44.36
June 1993	956.06	416.91	43.61
June 1994	1046.88	502.88	48.04

STATEMENT-I

Bank-wise Number of Brnaches of Public Sector Banks as on Last friday of June 1996 in the State of Karnataka

Name of the banks	No. of branches
SBI and Its Associates	861
State Bank of India	288
State Bank of Bikaner and Jaipur	3
State Bank of Hyderabad	96
State Bank of Mysore	456
State Bank of Patiala	4
State Bank of Saurashtra	2
State Bank of Travancore	11
State Bank of Indore	1
Nationalised Banks	2055
Bank of Baroda	33
Allahabad Bank	14
Bank of India	55
Bank of Maharashtra	38
Canara Bank	500
Dena Bank	23
Indian Bank	61
Indian Overseas Bank	58
Central Bank of India	55
Union Bank of India	86
Punjab National Bank	35
United Bank of India	7
UCO Bank	26
Syndicate Bank	450
Andhra Bank	19
Corporation Bank	189
Oriental Bank of Commerce	1
Punjab and Sind Bank	5
Vijaya Bank	400

STATEMENT-II

Bank-wise Deposits and Credit of Public Sector Banks as on the Last Friday of March for the Years 1994, 1995 and 1996 in the State of Karnataka

(In Rs. '000)

Name of the bank	1994		1995		1996	
	Deposits	Credit	Deposits	Credit	Deposits	Credit
State Bank of India and Its Associates	41479653	36566796	52699303	43274028	62119787	52282943
State Bank of India	19291942	20385902	25402977	24098976	29859707	29911598
State Bank of Bikaner & Jaipur	134406	285277	192902	611874	167470	779628
State Bank of the Hyderabad	3446227	2807004	4000997	3230196	5242475	4014173
State Bank of Mysore	17807134	9743714	21264860	11694153	25696954	13935551
State Bank of Patiala	96784	639095	237740	771221	291855	831740
State Bank of Saurashtra	43175	220188	76602	256726	98298	204908
State Bank of Travancore	621359	2373263	1182298	2486167	716292	2468971
State Bank of Indore	38526	112333	37927	124715	46736	136376
Nationalised Banks	85380816	5569158	108216498	66227050	126402620	76618815
Bank of Baroda	2389557	3283862	2707556	3292725	2643551	3592888
Allahabad Bank	265497	180434	299469	265222	381337	323538
Bank of India	2353695	1853488	3473435	2273067	3979285	2753373
Bank of Maharashtra	911784	547868	1249637	746061	1280219	820852
Canara Bank	29314996	17992433	32876463	22594613	40950697	26888391
Dena Bank	490959	564588	619572	880107	776069	918115
Indian Bank	2578768	2357567	3421210	3122229	4325438	3169889
Indian Overseas Bank	2427407	1466377	2754642	1635793	3417227	1913748
Central Bank of India	2018133	140350	2464458	2268454	2975493	2631519
Union Bank of India	2904682	1412713	3638366	2261497	4569095	3127798
Punjab National Bank	1130853	1750731	2963494	1808004	1991420	2435362
United Bank of India	167754	208867	265450	144576	281197	153710
UCO Bank	1011543	1049759	1089255	850670	1167780	1070825
Syndicate Bank	15862592	9186666	20347370	9647054	22641216	10850536
Andhra Bank	889910	682177	1049687	699719	1200718	691489
Corporation Bank	8466146	5365373	11927666	5425009	12999905	6425740
Oriental Bank of Commerce	51742	69435	56243	513484	117559	547637
Punjab and Sind Bank	94790	118340	152869	113990	190570	213434
Vijaya Bank	12049908	6199128	16859656	7584776	20513844	7989870

Export-Import Prices

4346. SHRI SUKHBIR SINGH BADAL : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have evolved any mechanism to keep up-to-date information about the current export-import prices of items at the international level;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI BOLLA BULLI RAMAIAH) : (a) to (c). The Ministry of Commerce does not keep up-to-date information about the current import-export prices at the international level since the Ministry does not itself import or export any commodity. However, depending on commodities of export or import interest to them, public sector trading companies like the State Trading Corporation (STC) and the Minerals and Metals Trading Corporation (MMTC) keep track of inter-national price movements through subscription to international Electronic Data services.